LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Conservation Auditorium, 1st Floor, State Land & Natural Resources Building, 625 North 4th Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY**, **JUNE 6**, **2000**, upon the application of **FINA OIL & CHEMICAL COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **2,700' Sand, Reservoir C,** in the Golden Meadow Field, Lafourche Parish, Louisiana.

- 1. To establish rules and regulations and to create a single drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the 2,700' Sand, Reservoir C, said unit to be designated 2700 RC SUA.
- 2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the proposed unit with each separate tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
- 3. To designate Fina Oil & Chemical Company as operator of the proposed unit.
- 4. To designate the Fina Oil & Chemical Company Billiot No. 1 Well as unit well for the proposed unit.
- 5. To recognize that the 2,700' Sand, Reservoir C, is a new reservoir and the Fina Oil & Chemical Company Billiot No. 1 Well is a new discovery well for the 2,700' Sand, Reservoir C, pursuant to Part I-C of Chapter 6 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 (Act 2 of 1994 as amended).
- 6. To provide that any future wells drilled to the 2,700' Sand, Reservoir C, should be located in accordance with the spacing provisions of Statewide Order No.29-E.
- 7. To authorize the Commissioner of Conservation to reclassify the reservoir by supplemental order without the necessity of a public hearing if the producing characteristics of the reservoir change and evidence to justify such reclassification is submitted to and accepted by the Commissioner of Conservation.
- 8. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The 2,700' Sand, Reservoir C, in the Golden Meadow Field, Lafourche Parish, Louisiana, was fully defined by the 14-QQ Series of Office of Conservation Orders and is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing sand encountered between the depths of 2,896' and 3,025' (ELM) (2,960' and 2,795' - true vertical depths) in the Fina Oil & Chemical Company - Billiot No. 1 Well, located in Section 12, Township 20 South, Range 20 East.

GOLDEN MEADOW FIELD 00-310

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Lafayette**, Louisiana.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

PHILIP N. ASPRODITES COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La 4/20/00;4/25/00 L dpe

IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE CONTACT <u>DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, PERSONNEL SECTION</u> AT P.O. BOX 94396, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9396 IN WRITING OR BY TELEPHONE (225) 342-2134 BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 8:00 A.M. AND 4:30 P.M., MONDAY THRU FRIDAY WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.